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BOVINE BREED

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STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821(e) and (g)

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I hereby state that the Sequence Listing is being filed in computer readable form (CRF) as required by § 1.821(e) and respectfully request that the sequence listing is incorporated by reference into the above-referenced application. The Sequence Listing is contained in a file called "MMI1150.txt" on the computer disk filed herewith.

I hereby state that the submission, filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(g), herein does not include new matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

I, Mikhail Puchkov, declare that I personally prepared the CD copies of the Sequence Listing filed herewith in the above-entitled case and that the content of both is the same.

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